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SUBJECT: CONGRATULATORY MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT

- 1. PLEASE TRANSMIT THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE AT THE APPROPRIATE TIME TO CHAIRMAN QADHAFI FROM PRESIDENT FORD. QUOTE: DEAR MR. CHAIRMAN: AS YOU AND THE LIBYAN PEOPLE OBSERVE THE HOLY ID AL-FITR I EXTEND TO YOU THE GREETINGS OF MY GOVERNMENT AND OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE. SINCERELY, GERALD R. FORD. END QUOTE.
- 2. WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PLAN TO RELEASE MESSAGE BUT HAS NO OBJECTION IF RECIPIENT WISHES TO DO SO. HABIB

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